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October 6, 2005

VIA U.S. MAIL

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Office of Regional Counsel (C-14J)
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Chicago, Illinois 60604

Re: Clayton Chemical Site, General Notice of Potential Liability

Dear Mr. Turner:

This letter is intended to acknowledge receipt of your Agency's letter of September 29, 2005 regarding the Clayton Chemical Site. We note that your Agency has identified Chevron Chemical Company as a potentially responsible party ("PRP") at the Clayton Chemical Site, and as a PRP we are required to notify your Agency within 10 days after receipt of our willingness to perform or finance clean up activities at the Site.

As we have not been provided with any information linking Chevron Chemical Company to the Site, we are not prepared at this time to respond to the Agency's letter. So that we may provide a meaningful response to your Agency's letter, we request that you provide us with all records reflecting Chevron Chemical Company's alleged liability at the Site, including all quantity, quality, and nexus documents. This information may be sent to the undersigned at the above-listed address.

We will promptly notify the Agency of our willingness to perform or finance clean up activities at the Site upon receipt of the request information.

Sincerely,

Eve Wilkerson-Barron

Senior Counsel

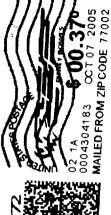
cc: Robert John

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